

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

The House and Senate passed H.J. Res. 69, Making Continuing Appropriations for FY 2001 through October 31.

The House and Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2217, Interior Appropriations.

The House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2904, Military Construction Appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1559–1563, and S.J. Res. 26. **Page S10794**

Measures Reported:

S. 1550, to provide for rail safety and security assistance. **Page S10793**

Measures Passed:

Tomas G. Masaryk Memorial: Senate passed H.R. 1161, to authorize the Government of the Czech Republic to establish a memorial to honor Tomas G. Masaryk in the District of Columbia, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S10798**

President John Adams Commemorative: Senate passed H.R. 1668, to authorize the Adams Memorial Foundation to establish a commemorative work on Federal land in the District of Columbia and its environs to honor former President John Adams and his legacy, clearing the measure for the President. **Pages S10798–99**

Fort Clatsop National Memorial Expansion Act: Senate passed S. 423, to amend the Act entitled “An Act to provide for the establishment of Fort Clatsop National Memorial in the State of Oregon”, after agreeing to committee amendments. **Pages S10799–S10800**

Golden Gate National Recreation Area: Senate passed S. 941, to revise the boundaries of the Golden Gate National Recreation Area in the State of California, to extend the term of the advisory commis-

sion for the recreation area, after agreeing to committee amendments. **Page S10800**

Pu‘uhonua O Honaunau National Historical Park Addition Act: Senate passed S. 1057, to authorize the addition of lands to Pu‘uhonua o Honaunau National Historical Park in the State of Hawaii. **Page S10800**

Great Smokey Mountains Natural Gas Pipelines: Senate passed S. 1097, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue right-of-way permits for natural gas pipelines within the boundary of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S10800–01**

Reid (for Bingaman) Amendment No. 1903, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S10800–01**

Grand Teton National Park Land Exchange Act: Senate passed S. 1105, to provide for the expeditious completion of the acquisition of State of Wyoming lands within the boundaries of Grand Teton National Park, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto: **Page S10801**

Reid (for Thomas) Amendment No. 1904, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S10801**

Great Falls Historic District Study Act: Senate passed H.R. 146, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Great Falls Historic District in Paterson, New Jersey, as a unit of the National Park System, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S10801**

Eight Mile River Wild and Scenic River Study Act: Senate passed H.R. 182, to amend the Wild

and Scenic Rivers Act to designate a segment of the Eightmile River in the State of Connecticut for study for potential addition to the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S10801**

Taft National Historic Site Boundary Adjustment Act: Senate passed H.R. 1000, to adjust the boundary of the William Howard Taft National Historic Site in the State of Ohio, to authorize an exchange of land in connection with the historic site, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S10801**

Continuing Appropriations: Senate passed H.J. Res. 69, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2002, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S10801**

Adjournment Resolution: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 251, providing for a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives and a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate. **Page S10802**

Foreign Operations Appropriations—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that the vote on the motion to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, scheduled to occur at 11 a.m. today, will now occur at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, October 23, 2001. **Page S10780**

Interior Appropriations—Conference Report: By 95 yeas to 3 nays (Vote No. 304), Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2217, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, clearing the measure for the President. **Pages S10783–86**

National Defense Authorization: Pursuant to the order of October 2, 2001, Senate disagreed to the amendment of the House to S. 1438, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2002 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military constructions, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, agreed to the House request for a conference thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint the following conferees on the part of the Senate: Senators Levin, Kennedy, Byrd, Lieberman, Cleland, Landrieu, Reed, Akaka, Nelson (FL), Nelson (NE), Carnahan, Dayton, Bingaman, Warner, Thurmond, McCain, Smith (NH), Inhofe, Santorum, Roberts, Allard, Hutchinson, Sessions, Collins, and Bunning. **Pages S10786–87**

Military Construction Appropriations Agreement: A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing for consideration of the conference

report on H.R. 2904, making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, at 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, October 18, 2001, with a vote on adoption of the conference report to occur thereon at 11 a.m. **Pages S10789, S10802**

Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting, a draft of proposed legislation entitled "Freedom to Manage Act of 2001"; to the Committee on Appropriations. (PM-47) **Pages S10791–92**

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the continuation of emergency with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia; to the Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-48) **Page S10792**

Transmitting, pursuant to law, the periodic report on the national emergency with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia; to the Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-49) **Page S10792**

Messages From the House: **Page S10792**

Measures Referred: **Page S10793**

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Authority for Committees to Meet: **Page S10798**

Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total-304) **Page S10786**

Adjournment: Senate met at 10 a.m., and adjourned at 5:19 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Thursday, October 18, 2001. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S10803.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Susan Schmidt Bies, of Tennessee, and Mark W. Olson, of Minnesota, each to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System,

after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items: S. 1550, to provide for rail safety and security assistance; and The nominations of Phillip Bond, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology, John H. Marburger, III, of New York, to be Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy; and certain pending nominations in the U.S. Coast Guard.

Also, committee approved committee's rules of procedure for the 107th Congress.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of William Baxter, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority, Kimberly Terese Nelson, of Pennsylvania, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, and Steven A. Williams, of Kansas, to be Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Baxter was introduced by Senator Thompson, and Mr. Williams was introduced by Senator Roberts.

ANTI-TERRORIST CAMPAIGN

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on the international campaign against terrorism from Marc Grossman, Under Secretary for Political Affairs, and William Joseph Burns, Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern Affairs, both of the Department of State.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Brian E. Carlson, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Latvia, Joseph M. DeThomas, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Estonia, Bonnie McElveen-Hunter, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Finland, John Malcolm Ordway, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Armenia, John N. Palmer, of Mississippi, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Portugal, and Clifford M. Sobel, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of the Netherlands, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. McElveen-Hunter was introduced by Senator Helms, Mr. Palmer was introduced by Sen-

ators Lott and Cochran, and Mr. Sobel was introduced by Senators Torricelli and Smith (OR).

BIOTERRORISM PREPAREDNESS

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services concluded hearings to examine Federal efforts to coordinate and prepare the United States for bioterrorism, after receiving testimony from Tommy G. Thompson, Secretary of Health and Human Services; Michael D. Brown, Acting Deputy Director and General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency; Deborah J. Daniels, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Justice Programs, Department of Justice; Henry L. Hinton, Jr., Managing Director, Defense Capabilities and Management, General Accounting Office; Anna Johnson-Winegar, Deputy Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Chemical and Biological Defense; Maureen E. Dempsey, Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, Jefferson City; Margaret A. Hamburg, Nuclear Threat Initiative, and Amy E. Smithson, Henry L. Stimson Center Chemical and Biological Weapons Nonproliferation Project, both of Washington, D.C.; and Gary W. McConnell, Georgia Emergency Management Agency, Atlanta, on behalf of the National Emergency Management Association.

IMMIGRATION CONTROLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration concluded hearings to examine effective immigration controls to deter terrorism, focusing on strengthening border security, screening foreign nationals, monitoring foreign students, operation of a comprehensive data sharing system between allies and other countries, implementation of an automated exit/entry system, and the use of biometric identification technology, after receiving testimony from Mary A. Ryan, Assistant Secretary for Consular Affairs, and Lino Gutierrez, Acting Assistant Secretary for Western Hemisphere Affairs, both of the Department of State; James W. Ziglar, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; Jeanne A. Butterfield, American Immigration Lawyers Association, and Demetrios G. Papademetriou, Migration Policy Institute, both of Washington, D.C.; and Richard E. Norton, International Biometric Industry Association, Fairfax, Virginia.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Small Business: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Thomas M. Sullivan, of Massachusetts, to be Chief Counsel for Advocacy, Small Business Administration.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met in closed session to consider pending intelligence matters.

Also, held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 12 public bills, H.R. 3148–3159; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 69; H. Con. Res. 251, and H. Res. 269 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

Filed on Oct. 16, H.R. 3005, to extend trade authorities procedures with respect to reciprocal trade agreements, amended (H. Rept. 107–249 Pt. 1);

H.R. 3004, to combat the financing of terrorism and other financial crimes, amended (H. Rept. 107–250, Pt. 1); and

H.R. 3090, to provide tax incentives for economic recovery, amended (H. Rept. 107–251). Page H7127

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Shimkus to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Rev. Dr. George Dillard, Peachtree City Christian Church of Peachtree City, Georgia.

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Journal: The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Tuesday, Oct. 16 by a recorded vote of 365 ayes to 34 noes, Roll No. 392.

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Suspension Financial Anti-Terrorism Act: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 3004, amended, to combat the financing of terrorism and other financial crimes by a yeas and nays vote of 412 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 390. The bill was considered pursuant to the order of the House of Oct. 16.

Pages H6924–44

National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2002 Go to Conference: The House passed S. 1438, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2002 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military constructions, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, and to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the provisions of H.R. 2586,

National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2002, as passed the House.

Subsequently, the House insisted on its amendment to S. 1438, and asked for a conference with the Senate. The House then agreed to the Skelton motion to instruct conferees to agree to the provisions contained in section 652 of the Senate bill, relating to Survivor Benefit Plan eligibility of survivors of retirement-ineligible members of the uniformed services who die on active duty.

Appointed as conferees: From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of the Senate bill and the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Stump and Representatives Hunter, Hansen, Weldon of Pennsylvania, Hefley, Saxton, McHugh, Everett, Bartlett of Maryland, McKeon, Watts of Oklahoma, Thornberry, Hostettler, Chambliss, Skelton, Spratt, Ortiz, Evans, Taylor of Mississippi, Abercrombie, Meehan, Underwood, Allen, and Snyder.

From the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for consideration of matters within the jurisdiction of that committee under clause 11 of rule X: Chairman Goss and Representatives Bereuter, and Pelosi.

From the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for consideration of secs. 304, 305, 1123, 3151, and 3157 of the Senate bill, and secs. 341, 342, 509, and 584 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representative Castle, Isakson, and George Miller of California.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of secs. 314, 316, 601, 663, 3134, 3141, 3143, 3152, 3153, 3159, 3171–3181, and 3201 of the Senate bill, and secs. 601, 3131, 3132, and 3201 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Tauzin and Representatives Barton of Texas and Dingell.

From the Committee on Government Reform, for consideration of secs. 564, 622, 803, 813, 901, 1044, 1047, 1051, 1065, 1075, 1102, 1111–1113, 1124–1126, 2832, 3141, 3144, and 3153 of the Senate bill, and secs. 333, 519, 588, 802, 803, 811–819, 1101, 1103–1108, 1110, and 3132 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to

conference: Chairman Burton and Representatives Weldon of Florida and Waxman. Provided that Representative Davis of Virginia is appointed in lieu of Representative Weldon of Florida for consideration of secs. 803 and 2832 of the Senate bill, and secs. 333 and 803 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference. Provided that Representative Horn is appointed in lieu of Representative Weldon of Florida for consideration of secs. 811–819 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on House Administration, for consideration of secs. 572, 574–577, and 579 of the Senate bill, and sec. 552 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Ney and Representatives Mica and Hoyer.

From the Committee on International Relations, for consideration of secs. 331, 333, 1201–1205, 1211–1218 of the Senate bill, and secs. 1011, 1201, 1202, 1205, 1209, Title XIII, and sec. 3133 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Hyde and Representative Gilman and Lantos.

From the Committee on Judiciary, for consideration of secs. 821, 1066, and 3151 of the Senate bill, and secs. 323 and 818 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Sensenbrenner and Representatives Smith of Texas and Conyers.

From the Committee on Resources, for consideration of secs. 601, 663, 2823, and 3171–3181 of the Senate bill, and secs. 601, 1042, 2841, 2845, 2861–2863, 2865, and Title XXIX of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gibbons, Radanovich, and Rahall. Provided that Representative Udall of Colorado is appointed in lieu of Representative Rahall for consideration of secs. 3171–3181 of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on Science, for consideration of secs. 1071 and 1124 of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Boehlert and Representatives Smith of Michigan and Hall of Texas. Provided that Representative Ehlers is appointed in lieu of Representative Smith of Michigan for consideration of sec. 1124 of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on Small Business, for consideration of secs. 822–824 and 1068 of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Manzullo and Representatives Combest and Velazquez.

From the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for consideration of secs. 563, 601, and 1076 of the Senate bill, and secs. 543, 544, 601, 1049, and 1053 of the House amendment, and

modifications committed to conference: Chairman Young of Alaska and Representatives LoBiondo and Brown of Florida. Provided that Representative Pascrell is appointed in lieu of Representative Brown of Florida for consideration of sec. 1049 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, for consideration of secs. 538, 539, 573, 651, 717, and 1064 of the Senate bill, and sec. 641 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Smith of New Jersey and Representatives Bilirakis and Filner. **Pages H6945–H7098**

The House agreed by a yea and nay vote of 420 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 391 to close portions of the conference to the public when classified information is discussed. **Page H7098**

Making Continuing Appropriations for FY 2001: The House passed H.J. Res. 69, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001 through Oct. 31. The joint resolution was considered by unanimous consent. **Pages H7109–10**

Interior Appropriations—Conference Report: The House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2217, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002 by a yea and nay vote of 380 yeas to 28 nays, Roll No. 393. The conference report was considered by unanimous consent.

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Military Construction Appropriations—Conference Report: The House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2904, making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002 by a yea and nay vote of 409 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 394. The conference report was considered by unanimous consent. **Pages H7108–11**

Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Freedom to Manage Act of 2001: Message wherein he transmitted his legislative proposal entitled the Freedom to Manage Act; **Pages H7111–12**

Continuation of National Emergency re Narcotics Traffickers Centered in Colombia: Message wherein he transmitted his notice stating that the emergency declared with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 107–133) and **Page H7112**

6-Month Periodic Report on the National Emergency re Narcotics Traffickers Centered in Colombia: Message wherein he transmitted a 6-Month

Periodic Report on the national emergency with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 107–134). **Page H7112**

Conditional Adjournment of the House of Representatives: The House agreed to H. Con. Res. 251, providing for a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives and conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate. **Page H7111**

Agreed that when the House adjourns on the legislative day of today, it adjourned to meet at 10 a.m. on Friday, October 19, 2001, unless the House sooner receives a message from the Senate transmitting its adoption of H. Con. Res. 251, in which case the house shall stand adjourned pursuant to that concurrent resolution. **Page H7125**

Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea and nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H6943–44, H7098, H7098–99, H7110, H7110–11. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and pursuant to H. Con. Res. 251, at 3:52 p.m., the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2001 for morning-hour debate.

Committee Meetings

CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT— PREVENTION AND TREATMENT

Committee on Education and the Workforce: Subcommittee on Select Education held a hearing on Prevention and Treatment of Child Abuse and Neglect: Policy Directions for the Future. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TOURISM INDUSTRY STATUS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection held a hearing on the State of the U.S. Tourism Industry. Testimony was heard from Representatives Berkley, Abercrombie and Underwood; Linda Conlin, Assistant Secretary, Trade Development, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

MEDICARE REGULATORY, APPEALS, CONTRACTING, AND EDUCATION REFORM ACT

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health approved for full Committee action, as amended, H.R. 3046, Medicare Regulatory, Appeals, Contracting, and Education Reform Act of 2001.

DEPOSIT INSURANCE REFORM

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit held a hearing on deposit insurance reform. Testimony was heard from Donald E. Powell, Chairman, FDIC; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT WORK FORCE

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources held a hearing on “Keeping a Strong Federal Law Enforcement Work Force.” Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: James Ziglar, Commissioner, INS; and Gary Mead, Assistant Director, Business Services, U.S. Marshals Service; and Robert M. Smith, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Human Resources Management, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury.

CHINA—COERCIVE POPULATION CONTROL

Committee on International Relations: Held a hearing on Coercive Population Control in China: New Evidence of Forced Abortion and Forced Sterilization. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MIDDLE EAST DEVELOPMENTS

Committee on International Relations: Subcommittee on the Middle East and South Asia held a hearing on Developments in the Middle East. Testimony was heard from William J. Burns, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs, Department of State.

OVERSIGHT—INS PERFORMANCE ISSUES

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims held an oversight hearing on Immigration and Naturalization Service Performance Issues. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GAO: Richard M. Stana, Director, Justice Issues; and Glenn A. Fine, Inspector General; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Ordered reported—the following bills: H.R. 483, amended, regarding the use of the trust land and resources of the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon; H.R. 1491, Utah Public Lands Artifact Preservation Act of 2001; H.R. 1913, amended, to require the valuation of nontribal interest ownership of subsurface rights within the boundaries of the Acoma Indian Reservation; H.R. 2115, to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and

Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the design, planning and construction of a project to reclaim and reuse within and outside of the service area of the Lakehaven Utility District, Washington; and H.R. 2585, Chiloquin Dam Fish Passage Facility Study Act of 2001.

The Committee also held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1239, to establish a moratorium on approval by the Secretary of the Interior of relinquishment of a lease of certain tribal lands in California; and H.R. 2742, to authorize the construction of a Native American Cultural Center and Museum in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hunter, Filner and Carson of Oklahoma; Wayne Smith, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs; Michael Liu, Assistant Secretary, Public and Indian Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development; the following officials of the State of Oklahoma: Kirk Humphreys, Mayor, Oklahoma City; and Enoch Kelly Haney, member, State Senate; and public witnesses.

CYBER TERRORISM

Committee on Science: Held a hearing on Cyber Terrorism, a View from the Gilmore Commission. Testimony was heard from James S. Gilmore III, Governor, State of Virginia.

GENERAL AVIATION FLYING RESTRICTIONS

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on Restrictions on General Aviation Flying in Class B Airspace. Testimony was heard from Steven J. Brown, Acting Associate Administrator, Air Traffic Services, FAA, Department of Transportation; former Senator Jake Garn of Utah; and public witnesses.

DRUG INTERDICTION

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation held a hearing on Drug Interdiction. Testimony was heard from Asa Hutchinson, Administrator, DEA, Department of Justice; and Rear Adm. Terry M. Cross, USCG, Assistant Commandant, Operations, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation.

Joint Meetings

U.S. ECONOMY

Joint Economic Committee: Committee concluded hearings to examine monetary policy in the context of the current economic situation, after receiving testimony from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST of October 15, 2001, p. D1018)

H.R. 1583, to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 121 West Spring Street in New Albany, Indiana, as the "Lee H. Hamilton Federal Building and United States Courthouse". Signed on October 15, 2001. (Public Law 107-49)

H.R. 1860, to reauthorize the Small Business Technology Transfer Program. Signed on October 15, 2001. (Public Law 107-50)

H.J. Res. 42, memorializing fallen firefighters by lowering the American flag to half-staff in honor of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in Emmitsburg, Maryland. Signed on October 16, 2001. (Public Law 107-51)

H.J. Res. 51, approving the extension of non-discriminatory treatment with respect to the products of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam. Signed on October 16, 2001. (Public Law 107-52)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to mark up pending calendar business, time to be announced, room to be announced.

House

No committee meetings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

10 a.m., Thursday, October 18

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

12:30 p.m., Tuesday, October 23

Senate Chamber

Program for Thursday: After the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 10:30 a.m.), Senate will begin consideration of the conference report on H.R. 2904, Military Construction Appropriations, with a vote on adoption of the conference report to occur thereon, at 11 a.m.

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: To be announced.

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